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Application of: Ghayur, et al.

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INTERLEUKIN-18 AND METHODS
OF MAKING AND USING

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir/Madam:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2008 for the above-identified case. Applicants hereby request a one month extension of time up to and including December 12, 2008. Applicants also file herewith a Request for Continued Examination. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fee to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 010025.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.